Other flights can be arranged in consultation with the officers on the spot.

Commercial leaflet dropping may also be arranged. Tickets for Joy flights will be available at Mandakally Aerodrome and also at the Exhibition Stall in 'G' Block.

It is hoped that the public will take full advantage of the opportunity afforded.

(P. N. No. 101—25-8-1952.)

Press Note.

As a measure of relief to the ryots whose dry lands in Chintamani Taluk, Kolar District, suffered due to scanty rainfall during the year 1951-52, remission of one half of the dry assessment and suspension of the other half also, is sanctioned in respect of the lands in 343 villages in Chintamani Taluk for the year 1951-52.

The sum thus to be remitted is Rs. 44,005-15-3.

(P.N. No. 102—25-8-1952).

Press Note.

Health of Livestock in Mysore State during July 1952.

In their order of severity, outbreaks of Rinderpest, Black-quarter, Haemorrahagic-sepricaemia, Anthrax, Sheep-pox, Ranikhet, Foot and Mouth and Contagious-goat pleuro-pneumonia were encountered in the State during July 1952. Altogether 191 villages were reported to have been affected by one or the other of the several contagious and infectious diseases as against 214 villages during the previous month. The number of outbreaks was highest in Bangalore, Shimoga and Chitaldrug Districts, while Hassan, Mysore and Mandya Districts were least affected. These diseases accounted for 887 attacks, of which 633 succumbed. The departmental staff conducted 37,655 preventive inoculations and vaccinations against all the above diseases except Foot and Mouth disease. In the absence of a reliable method of vaccinatory intervention other prophylactic measures were adopted against Foot and Mouth disease.

Seven outbreaks of Rinderpest were registered in Sagar, Hiriyur, Hosadurga, Devanahalli and Pavagada Taluks accounting for 128 attacks among cattle, of which 84 succumbed. Prompt measures of control were undertaken by the department to check its spread and 2,712 cattle in the infected villages and 5,044 cattle in 23 neighbouring villages were protected against this disease. The disease appears to be well under control at the end of the month under report.

Diseases caused by internal parasites were reported from 124 villages accounting for 24 deaths, as against 120 villages accounting for 109 deaths during the previous month. The special staff attached to the parasitic diseases control units of the department dosed 8,719 animals, as against 8,421 animals during the previous month.

(P. N. No. 103—26-8-1952)

B. N. SRI SATHYAN,
4189 *Principal Information Officer.*

FOREST DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF RESEARCH OFFICER, FOREST RESEARCH LABORATORY, MALLESWARAM, BANGALORE-3.

Notification dated 13th August 1952.

SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that an auction sale of unserviceable articles of Laboratory, Workshop and Nursery, will be held at 2 P.M. on 8th September 1952 in the premises of the Forest Research Laboratory, Malleswaram, by the Chief Research Officer or any other Officer deputed by him.

Full details and specifications of all the materials posed for sale and examination of the same can be had the Laboratory premises on all working days during ice hours.

2. The sale is subject to confirmation of the Chief nservator of Forests who reserves the right to accept or ect any bid without assigning any reason.

3. Each intending bidder must deposit in cash as earnest money Rs. 15, with the sale conducting officer. The deposits of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned to them at the close of the sale. Those of the successful bidders will be retained as security for fulfilment of contract and is liable to forfeiture to Government for any breach of the conditions.

4. At the conclusion of the sale, each successful bidder shall pay the full bid amount in cash, in addition to the earnest money deposited *plus* sales-tax on the entire bid amount.

5. The successful bidder should remove the goods on confirmation of sale by the Chief Conservator of Forests.

6. For breach of any of these conditions, the defaulters, besides being liable to the forfeiture of the earnest money, will be liable for any loss which the Department may incur by the resale of unserviceable articles but shall not be entitled to any gain by such resale.

7. Further particulars, inspection of stock, etc., may be had at the Office of the Forest Research Laboratory, Malleswaram, P.O., Bangalore-3, on any working day during office hours.

M. N. RAMASWAMY,
3792 *Chief Research Officer.*

BANGALORE FOREST DIVISION.

Notification.

Sale of jungle kind fuel in the area to be disafforested in Makli State Forest—82 acres yield about half a ton per acre.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right to cut and remove the jungle wood fuel in the above area will be sold by public auction, by the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District or any other officer deputed by him on Monday the 15th September 1952 at 2 P.M. in the District Forest Office, Bangalore District, Sandal Koti Buildings, Malleswaram, Bangalore 3. The sale is subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, or the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, as the case may be.

The sale will be held on acreage basis and the standing trees should be completely cut and removed leaving only fruit yielding trees like Honge and Hunse, if any.

Each bidder shall before he is permitted to bid produce a solvency certificate, in the prescribed form with an earnest deposit of Rs. 200 with the sale conducting officer before the sale is cemmenced.

Immediately after the sale is closed the highest bidder should pay the full sale amount with usual cesses and health cess at Re. 0-1-9 at Re. 0-1-0 respectively per Rupee, failing which, the bob will be resold at the risk of the original purchaser.

The purchaser should cut and remove the fuel completely from the area before the end of October 1952.

For further conditions and other particulars, please apply to the District Forest Officer, Bangalore Sandal Koti Buildings, Malleswaram, Bangalore 3.

J. P. MASCARENHAS,
4053 *District Forest Officer.*

KOLAR DISTRICT.

Brief Notification dated 22nd August 1952.

Tender for sale of Thangadi and Kakke barks lease for the year 1952-54.

It is hereby notified for general information that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Kolar, up to 4 P.M. on 15th September 1952 for the exclusive right of collecting Thangadi and Kakke barks on all Government Unoccupied Lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved Lands and Plantations of Goribidanur Taluk from the date of acceptance of the tender to 30th June 1954.

Each tender must be accompanied by a sum of Rs. 200 (Rupees two hundred only) in currency notes as tender deposit. Tenders not accompanied by the earnest deposit will be summarily rejected. Cover containing the tender should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Kolar,